



## Boys' and Childrens Clothing Department Brim Full of Nobby Suits.

The exhibit in this department is remarkable, not only for its large variety of beautiful styles, but also for the very low prices, quality considered.

We are exclusive agents in Wellington for the famous "Mrs. Hopkins Make" of Clothing for Boys' and Children. There is an exclusive wear-resisting quality in this line that commends itself to every parent, and a nobbiness that gives the wearer confidence in himself and defies rips, tears and patches.

Among the many strong points in the "Mrs. Hopkins Make" of clothing are the following: "Hold-Fast Buttons", "Elastic Waist Bands", "Double Seat and Knees" and "Warranted not to Rip". Whether you want to buy a suit for your boy or not, we think you will be interested to see the many pretty styles we are showing this season in child's "Vestee" suits made from best materials, in Serges, Cassimers and Cheviots, ages 3 to 8 at \$2.50 to \$3.00.

You can find any style and pattern desired in the ages from 7 to 15 at \$2.50 to \$5.00.

In this department may be found Boy's Long Pants Suits, ages 11 to 19 at \$3 to \$5. Better ones at \$6 to \$15.

These suits are made of Serges, Fancy Worsteds, Plain and Plaid Cheviots, Stripes and Clay Diagonals.

Inspect and you select, we are certain of that. Purchase once and you bear us in mind always. We have no shoddy bargains, but offer you the latest and best for your money.

To deal at this store is to be satisfied, not once nor twice but all the time.

**DAUGHERTY, HELMAN & CO.**

J. M. Early, of Beloit, Ohio, says: "Mr. Lang, I want you to know I have never regretted the money I put into that Medicated Stock Salt. If I had as good an article, I would stay by it until the next day, if they did not buy."

"I have never handled anything that built up such a trade for itself and done me so much good as your Dr. Holland's Medicated Stock Salt."

T. H. Johnson, Lisbon, O.

"I have used and am selling Dr. Holland's Medicated Stock Salt, and would rather have it than any condition powder on the market today."

J. B. Downs, Painesville, O.

C. C. Benjamin, Fields, P. O., says: "I never had my horses do as well on as small a quantity of grain as the past year, and I have used Dr. Holland's Medicated Stock Salt the whole season, and am selling and pleasing my customers with the same."

"Dr. Holland's Medicated Stock Salt is the best thing I ever saw to rid horse of worms. After trying several remedies, I succeeded with none but Dr. Holland's Stock Salt."

O. Darling, Warsaw, O.

"I have used lots of Dr. Holland's Medicated Stock Salt in my stable, and I never have had my horses go through the winter in such good shape, with such smooth coats, and it is the first winter I have gone without stable blankets." Lyman Taylor, Warsaw, O.

### Big Four Route.

Hunter's rates to points in the south. Apply for limits, &c.

Thanksgiving Day excursion rates: One and one-third fare, round trip, within a radius of 150 miles of starting point. Further information later.

Mr. Estep, of New Athens, says: "Mr. Lang, don't ever be afraid to recommend that Medicated Stock Salt of Dr. Holland's. I have sold the four dozen packages, and it has given entire satisfaction in every case."

"The way I sell Dr. Holland's Medicated Stock Salt is to hand a man a package, and tell him to use it and if it don't do what the package says, don't pay for it, and I never lost a package." Mr. Griffen, firm of Griffen & Beam, Flushing, O.

"I have customers come in nearly every day, and tell me that Dr. Holland's Medicated Stock Salt is the best thing they have ever fed. I feel very fortunate in getting the sale of it in our town." F. B. Tissot, Mt. Vernon, O.

**Public Sale.**  
I will offer for public sale at my farm, one and one-half miles east of the center of Huntington, on Monday, Nov. 27, the following property: One roan mare, five years old; four head of cows, five head of calves, brood sow, with ten pigs; one mowing machine, hay by the ton, one hay rack, one plow, one drag, one cultivator, one shovel plow, one set of light harness, one spring wagon, one double wagon, one set of bob sleds, one road wagon, and other articles. Terms: \$5 and under, cash; over that amount, nine months time, with approved security.

F. E. Rugg.  
Sale begins at 10 a. m.  
HENRY WHITE, Auctioneer.

**Used by British Soldiers in Africa.**  
Capt. C. G. Dennison is well known all over Africa as commander of the forces that captured the famous rebel Gaiabie. Under date of Nov. 4, 1897, from Vryburg, Bechuanaland, he writes: "Before starting on the last campaign I bought a quantity of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which I used myself when troubled with bowel complaint, and had given to my men, and in every case it proved most beneficial." For sale by Near & Wells.

**American House Re-leased.**  
A. C. Truxwell, of Greenwich leased the American house and will become its landlord at once. He intends to run a lively stable in and will make some repairs on the house. Former landlord I. S. Rinehart will remain in Wellington until spring.

It will not be a surprise to any who are at all familiar with the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, to know that people everywhere take pleasure in relating their experience in the use of that splendid medicine and in telling of the benefit they have received from it, of bad colds it has cured, of threatened attacks of pneumonia it has averted and of the children it has saved from attacks of croup and whooping cough. It is a grand good medicine. For sale by Near & Wells.

The Big Four changed time Sunday. Only two important changes were made. See the new time table.

The White Front restaurant, in the Emerson block, of which Sanger & Reiff are proprietors, was opened for business Tuesday. It has been made very attractive by new paper and paint.

The King's Daughter will be thankful for any donations of food for their Thanksgiving work. Such donations can be left at the sample room of the American house, on Wednesday, after nine o'clock.

## WELLINGTON'S WELCOME TO METCALF.

More than a thousand people welcomed Gen. Wilder S. Metcalf at the public reception given in his honor at the Opera house last Wednesday night. Five hundred people more would have been there had weather and roads permitted. But the welcome could not have been more hearty and sincere had the other five hundred been present. Crowded from parquet clear up to the last seat in "peanut heaven," the house rang with cheers again and again when the general appeared and when reference was made to him or his achievements by the speakers of the evening.

He was escorted to the Opera house by the reception committee and the Wellington and Huntington Cornet bands. His appearance on the stage was the signal for repeated cheering. Seated on the platform with him were members of Co. G, who had the reception in charge, the speakers of the evening and others. Capt. J. J. Thomas acted as chairman. The reception program was most appropriate. Even the children had a part in welcoming the general, the opening exercise being "America," sung by members of the public schools.

### Welcomed By Mayor Couch.

The formal welcome to Gen. Metcalf was extended by Mayor G. I. Couch in a few well chosen words. He said that the generous reception accorded the general was but a reflection of the interest in him shared by the whole community. Referring to the Philippine trouble, he said that it is not a war for the extension of territory, and maintained that the flag must remain there, an example of what American civilization can accomplish. As for Gen. Metcalf, the people of Wellington are proud of his achievements, proud that he was once a citizen here. He then turned over to him the keys of the city and gave him the freedom of the town.

### Gen. Metcalf's Response.

Mr. Mayor and Fellow-Citizens:—I have regretted a great many times in the past two or three weeks that nature had not endowed me with an eloquent tongue or given facility for such a tongue as I have. The great receptions that have been accorded the Twentieth Kansas since we landed in San Francisco, the generous welcomes that have been extended by fifteen or twenty towns to us in the past ten days, has made me wish for the power of eloquence. I know all this is not for me. It is for the soldiers with whom I have been associated; it is more than that—it is for the soldiers of the United States. It means that you believe in what they are doing and stand back behind it all.

I do not expect to make a political speech. All this anti-expansion talk is most mortifying. I believe that the creator and ruler of this universe decided that question eighteen months ago. We have a duty to perform in the Orient. We can't help nor avoid it. It has to be done. (Cheers.)

I have been welcomed to death this past ten days. I was going to say, but I am very glad to be in Wellington and to greet you all. (Applause.)

Following Gen. Metcalf's remarks the Adelphi Glee club sang "To the Braveest," with such pleasing effect that they were recalled for another selection.

### Hon. J. T. Haskell's Speech.

Hon. J. T. Haskell, in a speech, interrupted by frequent applause, drew from the circumstances that had brought about the reception to Gen. Metcalf, a lesson in patriotism, and painted in glowing terms a word-picture of the United States of today and tomorrow. He grew eloquent as he grew prophetic, making this significant statement in regard to the Philippine question: "Not an expansion of territory, but an expansion of civilization." The speech, in part, follows:

"Ladies and Gentlemen:—A few years since it was my pleasure to stand in one of the large halls of the country and listen to a debate in which the contestants at the close of the debate congratulated each other. A bystander remarked that the debate seemed to have resolved itself into a mutual admiration society. And as I stand here I am moved to admiration for this magnificent audience and for the gallant deeds of our fellow-citizen who is with us this evening.

"To dare to do what others only dare to say, and to dare to say what others only dare to think, is what makes heroes and martyrs. There have been heroes and martyrs in the world ever since the morning stars sang together and the sons of God shouted for joy because there had dropped from the fingers of the Almighty a world peopled with intelligences, fitted to hold communion with their Maker and to be celestial beings; and so long as the most of us are not permitted to ride the smooth paths of pleasure, but are compelled to walk the rough road of duty, there will be heroes and martyrs in the world; and until that time shall come, when the heavens shall be rolled together as a scroll, and the firmament shall melt with fervent heat, and there shall be a new heaven and new earth in which dwell all righteousness. Among all the people of the earth in all the world there is no spot so well calculated to bring out the spirit of martyrdom and heroism as the United States."

The speaker then went on to say that the reason why America has been so productive of heroes and martyrs is because of the ancestry, the history and possibilities of American youth.

"Educated under this flag,"—the speaker continued—"The white of the flag—the symbol of the purity and righteousness of the motives of the men who formed the Declaration of Independence and framed the Constitution under which we live; the red symbolizes the blood and sacrifice which were made necessary in its formation and in its protection; the blue field, studded with stars like the azure vault of heaven studded with stars on a summer evening, symbolic of peace to all mankind. Peace, protection and purity are the symbols of the flag under which the youth of America is educated.

"Not long ago I had an almost prophetic vision. I see not many years hence Cuba and the Philippines wearing the garb of civilization, enjoying the comforts and luxuries which come with civilized life; the territory connected with telegraph and telephone; the soil worked with modern machinery, and in the far-off Orient—China—with her teeming millions, her land covered with a network of railroads, using the products of our manufactures and mills, and her people enjoying all the comforts and luxuries of civilization. We receive what we have done for them, and I see in our own land as a result of what we have done for them many more millions of people, every farm a garden, waste places made cultivated, the country dotted with mills, and our mines of gold, silver and copper worked to the fullest capacity; and there is peace and prosperity on every hand, and the seas are covered with our ships of commerce carrying these products to the islands of the ocean. And, dear General, our country and the world does not now appreciate what you and your comrades-in-arms have accomplished, but when this new vision is fulfilled, then shall they know what they owe to you and your fellow-soldiers. Not an expansion of territory, but an expansion of civilization."

"Optimistic? Do you say that I am an optimist? Every patriot should be an optimist. Pessimism and optimism are not synonymous terms. What is optimism but hope, and hope is the anchor to the soul.

"And is this possible? Do you ask me, 'Is this possible to the United States?' I answer, 'Yes'. How? By every man living a life of purity and righteousness; by every municipality banishing from its borders everything that can debauch or degrade or lead the young away from the paths of virtue and into vice and sin; by the State enacting and enforcing such laws as will give to capital just protection, and as will insure to labor the equal opportunity to enjoy the fruits of its labor; by the general government enforcing that clause of the Constitution which guarantees to each state a republican form of government, and to each inhabitant of the land, be he high or low, rich or poor, white or black, the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness; when each individual who can sing will sing, and each that cannot sing will say in his heart—

"Our Father's God, to thee,  
Author of liberty,  
To thee we sing;  
Long may our land be bright  
With Freedom's holy light,  
Protect us by thy might,  
Great God, our King."

### Supt. Kinnison's Address.

The short address by Superintendent R. H. Kinnison, who welcomed the general on behalf of the public schools of this place, was an admirable effort, and evoked frequent applause. The speaker said that in a boy's heart and in a girl's there is just as much reverence for the flag and its defenders as in the hearts of many older persons. Therefore the reception to Gen. Metcalf was not meaningless to them. He then recalled the fact that eight or ten years ago, when the guest of the evening was a resident of this city, there

were boys then in the schools here who now are serving in the army in the Philippines. Remembering them, he said to the general: "And therefore while we honor you we do it also in remembrance of those whom we trust will come back to us in the months to come." In conclusion, Supt. Kinnison bestowed upon Gen. Metcalf the highest compliment that one man can give another. After mentioning that he and Gen. Metcalf were near neighbors not many years ago, he said: "So long as I have known you I have only known, and we all have known you, as a man of stainless character, and you come back to us a man—every inch a man. We give you a cordial greeting, with honor in every word."

### Rev. H. D. Sheldon's Address.

The welcome of the churches of Wellington was extended by Rev. H. D. Sheldon of the Congregational church. Rev. Sheldon reminded the audience that it was the Twentieth Kansas that set to rest all doubts about the volunteers, saying he believed that a part of the credit for this belonged to Ohio, for the man who had worked day and night drilling the regiment and getting it into condition for actual service, was an Ohio man—a Wellington man. (Prolonged cheering.) Rev. Sheldon then spoke of his first meeting with Gen. Metcalf, which occurred about 1885, when he and the general's brother were college mates at Oberlin. As to expansion, which had been touched upon once or twice during the evening, it was the speaker's ardent hope that the policy finally adopted by this country would be for the uplifting of the Filipinos and the betterment of mankind.

Another song and an encore by the Glee club followed Rev. Sheldon's address.

### Geo. L. Blinn's Address.

Attorney Geo. L. Blinn made a number of happy "hits" in his short address. Briefly he said: "Ladies and Gentlemen—If you were in my place and were called upon to make a speech, what would you say? Our distinguished guest has been welcomed by the city, by the schools, and by the churches. What is there left for me to say? Why, Gen. Metcalf, I will welcome you to this grand old state of Ohio. I will welcome you to your dear wife and folks, to your sisters and brothers. It was the boys of the Revolution; it was the boys of the war of 1812; it was the boys of the Mexican and civil wars, and the war of 1898, who have made it possible for us to live and enjoy the greatest and most glorious government on the globe." Attorney Blinn then said that if you hear of a man who has risen to distinction either in civil or military life, if you trace his history you will find that nine times out of ten that he was born or had lived in Ohio. And so it was in Gen. Metcalf's case. Continuing, the speaker said: "Now, it may be said that as I look over this grand audience that I don't see a Republican, a Democrat or a Prohibitionist, but only the people of the village of Wellington. I am glad tonight that I live on Taylor street. It seems to me that that is the first street in Wellington. [Laughter.] I know that there are other streets. But—I live right across from Gen. Metcalf, and I am glad of it." [Applause.]

### Lieut. C. McDermott's Remarks.

C. McDermott, who had been lieutenant of Co. G, thanked the audience in behalf of the committee, and brought down the house on announcing that Gen. Metcalf would hold an informal reception on the stage by warning the leaders that the hero of the evening was not to be Hobsonized. He then proposed three cheers and a tiger—one for Gen. Metcalf, one for the army and navy, one for our new possessions, and one for the flag—which were given with hearty zest.

A short season of handshaking and welcoming followed, and one of the most memorable occasions in the recent history of Wellington came to a close.

### THE ROYAL ARCANUM

Gave a Reception to General Metcalf Friday Night.

The reception given to Gen. Metcalf by members of the Royal Arcanum at their rooms on last Friday evening proved a most enjoyable affair. The welcome was extended by Mayor Couch, which was responded to by the general, giving an interesting account of the war in the Philippines. After this about sixty-five in all, including the members, their wives and older members of their families, sat down to luncheon prepared for the occasion. The remainder of the time, until a late hour, was spent in a social way, interspersed with music and song. Among those present not connected with the order were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crozier, Mrs. W. L. Richardson, of Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Husted, of Norwalk, Miss Mae Crozier.

### SWAM THE BAG BAG.

Lieut. Barsfield Tells of the Bravery of Gen. Metcalf at the Battle of Guiguinto River.

Percy Barsfield of Kansas City was in Topeka yesterday, says the Daily Capital of Nov. 19. Mr. Barsfield was a trumpeter in Company B of the Twentieth, and was the man who swam the Bag Bag river and sounded the advance for the others of his regiment. He is at present attending the State university, and is visiting Joe Wilson, who is a member of the same fraternity, the Phi Psi.

Mr. Barsfield is modest about his action in swimming the Bag Bag, and speaks about it as "a swim with clothes on." Shortly after his display of bravery at the Bag Bag, he was given a second lieutenant's commission. He was with the regiment during the entire time after leaving Manila until it was recalled from the firing line, and he said in regard to the recent allegations in regard to Gen. Wilder S. Metcalf: "On March 20, the day the battle of Guiguinto river was fought, Gen. Metcalf was with the regiment. It has been claimed that Lieut. Col. Little was on that day, and at several other times in command of the regiment. This is not true. Col. Little had command of the regiment but once while we were on the march, and that was at Malolos.

"We fought two battles on March 20. The first was that of the Santa Maria Bigbas river, and at that engagement Gen. Metcalf was wounded. He continued with the regiment, however, until the Guiguinto river was reached, and shortly after the hostilities began there he was seen by Gen. McArthur and ordered to the rear. Even then he did not want to go.

"There was not a braver man in the regiment than Gen. Metcalf. I saw him one day walk down a road, which was exposed to the fire of the Filipinos, accompanied by a sergeant, a corporal and a private. He was always a leader, and was liked by the men. While there is not a man in the regiment whom I like personally better than Col. Little, I do not believe he would have made a fit commander for the regiment on account of his lack of military ideas."

### REMARKABLE RESCUE.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, of Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Near & Wells' drug store. Only 50c and \$1.00; every bottle guaranteed.

Go to Near & Wells for milk weed cream for the skin. 15